

THE OPEN FORUM

Plea for Individuality.

Ed. Journal: You have rejected so many of my communications, I beg of you to print this from a woman.

Why are we so commonplace? Because we lack the spirit and determination to be anything, anybody. I would like to devote the last years of my life protesting, protesting, protesting against the sin of being a nobody. Why should so many of us like to be leaves on the trees? They tell us no two trees are alike, and no two leaves are alike on the same tree, but I notice the leaves are not enough different from each other so that you can tell one from the other, and they are all blown off or fall off and are forgotten for their infinitesimal sameness. I am not disgusted with life, but with our namby-pamby contentedness, and that we do not kick ourselves because we are not different. How little the multitude get out of life, three meals and a sleep, move about a little, work, work, work, as though that were a blessing. Do not tell me it is great to live, to merely live and be like other people. I hate myself and all of them for our assinine sameness. I am a woman, and so much the worse for me. I dare not even live my life of feelings, emotions and affections, which are four-fifths the life of a woman, and are all the life of a real man. But nineteen men out of 20 do not live. But enough of that, I am not here to cry out about the men. I am uttering my own protest at my sameness and lack of individuality, and my cowardice to awaken so late in life, having wasted my existence in a campaign of submergence, atrophied because society demands this suppression, this extinction of self, of reality. Here am I going into the forties, unwooded, unloved, unknown to any man as a being of the opposite sex, destined to go into cheerlessness upon cheerlessness, all because we are forbidden to assert that we are alive, deprived of the animal privilege of mating because institutions must be preserved, customs must remain unbroken and prejudices must be held sacred, while individuals must become extinct. I have sacrificed my life to propriety, to correctness, to bloodless conventionalities.

NOT AN INMATE.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured.

By local applications, as they cannot reach the distanced portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; nine out of ten cases are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY, Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

"The duck has no true crop." In this respect the duck and a certain kind of farming are all alike.

The Best Plaster. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on to the affected parts is superior to any plaster. When troubled with lame back or pains in the side or chest give it a trial and you are certain to be more than pleased with the prompt relief which it affords. This liniment also relieves rheumatic pains and is certain to please anyone suffering from that disease. Sold by all good druggists.

Roses are likely to bloom at the north pole before the tariff question is settled with the United States.

\$100.00 Reward

Would be gladly paid for a cure by many people who are crippled with rheumatism, yet, if they only know it, they can be cured by a few bottles of Ballard's Snow Liniment, and the price is only 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by all dealers.

CANDIDATES' CARDS

Platform of

N. F. NELSON, FOR GOVERNOR. Equal rights, equal laws, and equal justice to every citizen. Men grant your equals justice; women exercise your rights! Men and women, do your duty! 10-4-1f

A Reliable Remedy

Ely's Cream Balm

is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at Once.

It cleanses, soothes, heals and protects the (inflamed) membrane resulting from Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts., at Drug Stores or by mail. In liquid form, 75 cents. Ely Brothers, 55 Warren Street, New York.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. J. C. Perry.

It is the lesson of history that luxurious habits of living are fatal to republics, while poverty leads to the undoing of monarchies.

Cold Weather Advice

To all is to beware of coughs and colds on the chest; as neglected they readily lead to pneumonia, consumption or other pulmonary troubles. Just as soon as the cough appears treat it with Ballard's Horehound Syrup, the standard cure of America. Use as directed—perfectly harmless. A cure and preventive for all diseases of the lungs.

Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by all dealers.

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CATARRH

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The wholesome, harmless green leaves and tender stems of a lung healing mountainous shrub, give to Dr. Shoup's Cough Remedy its curative properties. Tickling or dry bronchial coughs quickly and safely yield to this highly effective cough medicine. Dr. Shoup assures mothers that they can with safety give it to even very young babes. No opium, no chloroform—absolutely nothing harsh or harmful. It calms the distressing cough, and heals the sensitive membranes. Accept no other. Demand Dr. Shoup's. Sold by Capital drug store.

"The more haste the less speed." is an axiom often realized by furious drivers of motor cars.

Swept Over Niagara.

This terrible calamity often happens. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—dropsy, diabetes or Bright's Disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feeling return. "After long suffering from weak kidneys and lame back, one \$1.00 bottle wholly cured me," writes J. H. Blackenship, of Belt, Tenn. Only 50 cents at J. C. Perry's.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND. Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS. For 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable.

SOLE BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

OREGON LAW SCHOOL. Classes open Monday evening, October 18. Students can enter by calling at office of Dean Richardson, at 442 State street. Students can enter at any time before Thanksgiving. 10-14-1m

DOCTORS.

DR. H. S. STONE, D. C., CHIROPRACTOR—Spine and nerve specialist. Rooms 4, 5, 6, D'Arcy building. Phone Main 87, Salem, Oregon. 4-28-1f



Phone the Butcher—Quick!

What Butcher? E. C. Cross & Son, of course; we always get the best meat there. It isn't necessary to go down to the market these warm days. Just call Main 291 and tell them to send you a nice steak, roast, boil or anything you want in the meat line and it will reach you on time and in first class condition.

REAL ESTATE

WAKE UP

Buy a 10-acre tract one-half mile east of the asylum. Fine soil, high land, and excellent view. Lay aside a few dollars each month and be independent in years to come. This land on the main county road with a road through it also.

A SMALL PAYMENT DOWN

Balance \$1.00 Per Acre Per Month

Don't Delay; See Us at Once

Smith-Gillingham Co.

Room 5, McCornack Building

Phone 96

Are You Looking for a Home?

65 Acres. All extra fine land, in sight of Salem, good 9-room house, hot and cold water, 2 barns, 20 acres just beginning to bear, 3 acres young Royal Ann cherries and all kinds of small fruits; best home in 3 miles of Salem. Investigate.

9 Acres. With a half mile of West Salem depot, fine new 6-room house, new barn, new fence; buildings cost \$2500; only \$3,000 for a few days.

15 Acres. New 6-room house, new barn, fruit, etc., within one mile of the capital building, only \$3000.

100 Acres. 70 in cultivation, 30 acres timber, only \$4000. Six Room Bungalow. New fine, modern 6-room bungalow, close in, a snap, \$2700.

New 7-Room House. Large lot, fruit, etc., \$1800. We also have the choicest vacant lots in the city.

Fruit Tracts. Some choice unimproved tracts of land close in. We have some fine inside business property at a bargain. If you want anything in this country see

A. C. SMITH CO. Rooms 544 State St. Phone 1507

CARDWELL ADDITION.

If you are thinking of building be sure and see Cardwell addition and learn the special discount given to home builders.

This tract is just eight minutes from State and Commercial on the North Salem line. Two blocks from car line. Close to school. Large lots. Easy payments. No interest. Price from \$300 to \$250.

Go out tomorrow and see the tract. Take the North Salem car and get off at Jefferson or Madison street and walk two blocks east to the property.

Property in Salem will never be cheaper and you may never again have so easy a chance to acquire a lot as that offered in Cardwell addition.

BECHTEL & BYNON.

Telephone Main 4-2.

347 State street. Ground Floor

BECHTEL & BYNON'S BARGAINS. \$2000—Two-story, 7-room house, well built, hard finished, good well, bearing fruit; not far from car line. Three lots, well worth \$2500.

400 acres, 100 under cultivation, 300 acres good oak timber, no brush, fine wood proposition. Estimated 8000 cords oak wood. Place is well fenced. Two wells. A No. 1 fruit land, no rocks, 1 1/2 miles to railroad and good town, \$20 per acre, terms.

Very slightly building spot. Lot 3, block 15, Fairmount Park, rightly priced.

See our advertisement elsewhere for lots in our new Cardwell addition. Special inducements to builders.

BECHTEL & BYNON, Telephone 452, 347 State St. Ground Floor

Classified Ads.

Capital Journal "Want Ads" Bring Quick Results

One cent a word for first insertion. One-half cent a word for each insertion thereafter. No advertisement taken for less than 25c. Count six words to the line.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Cut roses at Hamilton Greenhouse, Yew Park. Will be there afternoons only. 4-22-1f

FOR SALE—Good 1 1/2 H. P. Staver gasoline engine, cheap. Inquire at 178 South Liberty St. 5-22-1f.

FOR SALE—Threshing outfit, consists of 20-horsepower double cylinder engine and 36-60 Reed's separator, all of the latest make. There is a Parson's feeder. Perfection veigher and Farmer's Friend blower. Price reasonable and terms easy. Apply to J. J. Langmack, Albany. Home phone 1552. 5-21-1f

FOR SALE CHEAP—One single sleeping Studebaker buggy, good as new. Enquire at Walt Low's feed barn. 10-1-1f

FOR SALE—House of five rooms, two lots and barn, \$1,300. House of six rooms, large lot, \$1,800. Also good choice building lots. See me before buying. E. Lupton, 401-1-01 1000 State Street 801-1

FOR SALE—Good general merchandise store and business in a live Willamette valley town. About \$10,000 to swing. For particulars address box 508 Cottage Grove, Ore. 10-11-1m

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For Salem property, 60 acres, partly improved; adjoins town, 344 State street. 10-15-1f

FOR SALE—Six-room house, two barns, four lots, in Yew Park, \$1200. A. Olinger, phone 647. 10-15-3f

WANTED.

Wanted to Buy—Stock hogs. Call at Hop Lee laundry, 189 South Commercial street. Phone 1158. 10-4-1m

WANTED—Good driving horse, single or double; weight 1000 lbs.; black preferred. Hopkins, State and Liberty. 11-14-1f

100 MEN WANTED—Apply to Oregon Nursery Co., Oregon. 11-13-1w

WANTED—Men to handle cordwood, \$2 per day; also men with teams, wagons and woodracks for hauling wood, \$4 per day. Address G. H. Thompson. Phone Farmers' 27x1. 13-15-1w*

WANTED—Elevator man; must be over eighteen. Inquire Room 5, McCornack building. 10-16-1f

WANTED—Handy, all-round man wants short jobs, painting, repairing, etc. Address "Worker," 1616 Mission street, city; will call. 10-16-31*

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—For one year or for a term of years, two large modern houses on Summer street. Inquire of Dr. Mott, office 193 North Commercial street. 10-1-1f

FOR RENT—Newly furnished rooms, clean and comfortable. Electric lights and phone. Inquire J. H. Gantenbein, 440 Mill street. 10-15-31*

MISCELLANEOUS.

SAVE YOUR APPLES—The Gideon Stolz Company is taking all apples offered at advanced price of last year. So save your apples. Gideon Stolz Company. 10-2-1m

COAL OIL, GASOLINE—And Disinfectant delivered to private families in any quantity, to any part of the city. Starr Oil Co. Phone 1729. 9-15-1f

SPECIAL NOTICE—If you want a government position, we can show you how to secure the same, and will prepare you at a very small cost. Call or write C. C. S. 8, 425-T Lumber Exchange building, Portland, Oregon. 9-21-1m

FOR EXCHANGE—For Salem property, a home in sunny California, at Pasadena, four blocks from business center. Apply to owners at 824 South Commercial street, Salem. 10-11-1m*

MISS ELMA WELLER—Teacher of piano and Dunning Method of Improved Music Study for Beginners, autumn classes will begin November 1. Studio 695 North Liberty. Phone 1361. 10-12-1m

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of J. C. H. Fletcher

PAINTERS, PAPER HANGERS

PAINTER AND PAPER HANGER—Estimates made and first class work done. I. D. Driver, 517 North Capital street, Salem, Or. Phone 926. 6-26-1f

KENNEDY & PORTER—130 Liberty street. Phone 485. Dealers in Oregon Senna (Salem-made) paint, wallpaper and all interior furnishings. Painting, papering, and all manner of interior work done promptly in first class style at moderate prices. 8-5-1f

BAKERS.

CAPITAL BAKERS—Bread, cake, pies, and all kinds of pastries, cookies, etc. Watch for our wagon. Phone 954. Radeck & Smith. 11-19-1f

BUTTERNUT BREAD—It is worth more than any other bread, yet the price is no higher. For sale at your grocer's. California Bakery, Thomas & Cooley, Props. 11-19-1f

DRAYMEN.

EXPRESS WAGON—Will take orders at all hours. Furniture and piano moving. Phone Main 465. Fred Schindler, 365 State st. 8-12-1f

SALEM TRANSFER CO.—Successors to Cummins Transfer Co. All kinds of transfer work done. Furniture moved and pianos boxed ready to ship. Prompt service our motto, 253 South Commercial street. Phone 210. 10-13-1f

BUSINESS CARDS.

BUTTE & WENDEROTH—Fine wines, liquors and cigars. We handle the celebrated Kellogg and Castle whiskies. Cool and refreshing beer constantly on draught South Commercial St. 9-3-1yr

WENGER & CHERRINGTON—Pianos and organs sold on easy terms. Phone 1187. 247 N. Commercial street, Salem, Or. 1f

SALEM WATER COMPANY—Office, city hall. For water service apply at office. Bills payable monthly in advance.

G. F. MASON BOX COMPANY 247 Mill street, South Salem, manufacturers of all kinds of boxes, crates and fruit dryer accessories. Phone 308. 1f

FRANK E. CHURCHILL—Representative of the Western Conservatory of Music, of Chicago, in this city, will resume classes in piano, harmony, theory, sight reading, etc., on and after September 20. Studio opera house building, room 9. Phone 1100. Pupils may receive lessons either in their home or at the studio. 9-11-3m

MISS BEATRICE SHELTON—Teacher of piano, also quartet work. Autumn class work resumed October 1. Studio 345 Marion street. Phone 1299. Fridays at First National bank building, phone 1295. 10-6-1m

LIVERY STABLE.

LIVERY AND FEED STABLES—Old Postoffice stables, at 254 Ferry street, between Commercial and Front. Telephone 183. Some of the finest livers in the city can be found here. W. W. Johnson. 1f

FEED BARN

NEW FEED BARN—Has opened on Commercial street, two and a half blocks south of Ladd & Bush bank. Regular feed barn prices. Bayne & Smith, proprietors. 10-11-1m

OSTEOPATH.

DR. B. H. WHITE.

Osteopath and Nerve Specialist. Graduate of the American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo., 1902. Post-graduate and specialized in nervous diseases at Los Angeles College 1909. Treats acute and chronic diseases. Consultation free. Office 17-18 Breyman Bldg. Phone 859. Residence 346 North Capitol St. Phone 469. 8-30-1f

PLUMBERS.

THEO. M. BARR—Plumbing, hot water and steam heating and tinning, 164 Commercial street. Phone Main 192. 9-1-1y

OTTO MUELLHAUPT—Plumbing, heating, gas fitting; prices reasonable; work guaranteed; estimates furnished. Phone 373. 1066 Chemeketa street. 4-17-1f

TONSorial.

H. G. MEYER & CO.—The best and largest shop in the city. Six first class barbers. Only first class bootblack in city; porcelain baths, and everything pertaining to a first class shop. Also carry a full line of cigars and tobacco and barbers' supplies. 162 Commercial street, next door to Statesman office. 4-6-1f

LODGE DIRECTORY.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA Oregon Cedar Camp No. 5246. Meets every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Holman hall. A. E. Banber, V. C.; F. A. Turner, clerk

WOODMEN OF WORLD—Meet every Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in Holman hall. L. W. Acheson, C. C.; L. H. Fletcher, Clerk. 1-10-09